Appointment of Public Service Commission.

482. **Mr. K. T. Mathew.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) whether a Public Service Commission Bill was passed in the Madras Legislative Council before constituting a Public Service Commission;

(b) whether the Government have passed the rules relating to the Public Service Commission;

(c) whether some of the non-officials did not ask the Government in discussing a resolution in the last meeting of the Council, recommending not to appoint a Public Service Commission, to place the draft rules before the Council for the consideration of the House?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.— (a) Yes.

(b) No.

(c) Yes.

Applications for Labour Inspector's post.

483. **Mr. P. Raman Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to State—

(a) the names of the Pulaya applicants, if any, for the post of the Labour Inspector and their qualifications;

(b) what special qualifications, if any, are required for the post;

(c) what is the permanent place in the service, of the present incumbent and his pay there;

(d) what is his present pay as Labour Inspector?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—

	Name.	Qualification.
(a) 1.	Mr. K. P. Vallon, M. L. C.	Nil
2.	N. K. Ayyar,	Failed School Final.

(b) Besides the general Educational qualifications prescribed in S. O. No. 1, Revenue and Civil Account Tests.

(c) Head Accountant, Trichur Treasury. Pay Rs. 40.

(d) Rs. 40.

Mr. M. K. Raman.—Was there any other application for the post from the Depressed Classes?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I want notice.

Mr. M. K. Raman.—Was there an application from one Kunjâyyappan a member of another community of the Depressed Classes?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I am sorry I want notice. I shall look it up.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—Is this name appearing here (a) (2) a misprint?

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Rama Varmha Tampuran.—That is the correct name.

Mr. P. Kumaran Ezhuthassan.—He is a Pulaya?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Yes. As to the other question, there was one P. C. Kunjayyappan, a passed School Final as an applicant.

Mr. M. K. Raman.—Was School Final qualification thought sufficient for the post?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—Revenue and Account Tests were also considered necessary.

Mr. M. K. Raman.—Was School Final qualification the minimum qualification for the post?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—I think, being a new appointment, tests were also necessary.

Applicants for clerks' posts in the Office of the Protector.

484. **Mr. P. Raman Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to state.—

(a) the names of all the qualified applicants from among the depressed classes for the posts of clerks in the Office of the Protector;

(b) how many of them were appointed?

(c) whether any of them were rejected; if so, why?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—(a) The only qualified applicant from among the depressed classes who applied for the post of clerk in the Office of the Protector is T. C. Velayudhan.

(b) The said Velayudhan has been appointed as clerk.

(c) Does not arise in view of the answer to (a).

Caste-war statement of peons in the Labour Department.

485. **Mr. P. Raman Menon.**—Will the Government be pleased to place on the table a caste-war list with the names of peons in the Labour Department?

Rama Varmha Tampuran.—

Sl. No.	Names of peons.	Caste.
1.	C. Bava	Pulaya (Depressed Class).
2.	V. K. Sankaran	Padanna Kavakka (Depressed Class).
3.	M. Kuttikrishnan Nayar	Nayar.
4.	V. V. Ramankutty	Thiyya.

Sea Erosions—Investigations of the Harbour Engineer

486. **Mr. K. M. Ibrahim.**—With reference to question 173 dated 2nd Dhanu 1107, will the Government be pleased to

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